

MEMORANDUM

September 18, 2006 File No. 06-091802

TO: Okanogan County, Planning Director Environmental Coordinator, DOE

L. Hofmann/C. Iten/B. Steele, DFW Colville Confederated Tribes

Kalispel Indian Tribe Spokane Indian Tribe

Yakama Indian Tribe Okanogan Highlands Alliance

James & Charlene Elias, Proponents

FROM: Rochelle Knust, SEPA Center

SUBJECT: SEPA LEAD AGENCY & DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

This is to advise you that pursuant to WAC 197-11-900 (922 through 948), the Department of Natural Resources has determined that it is Lead Agency for the following:

Forest Practice Application #3013099 is a harvest of timber on approximately 4 acres on lands platted after January 1, 1960. Located in Section 10, Township 39 North, Range 30 East, W.M., Okanogan County.

Information about this proposal including the Threshold Determination, SEPA Checklist and Forest Practice Application can be viewed on DNR's website at:

http://www.dnr.wa.gov/sepa

Pursuant to WAC 332-41-504, this proposal was filed in the department's SEPA Center at the Natural Resources Building, 1111 Washington Street SE, P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington, on <u>September 18</u>, 2006. We will consider comments on this proposed DNS received by 4:30 p.m. on <u>October 2</u>, 2006. Comments should be submitted to the SEPA Center at, <u>sepacenter@wadnr.gov</u> or P.O. Box 47015, Olympia, Washington 98504-7015 for distribution to the responsible official. Please <u>include the file number</u> listed above on all comments.